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Sand Point Commercial Salmon Fishery Announcement # 11 For Emergency Order #4-FS-M-SP-11-13

Commercial salmon fishing will be extended in **Orzinski Bay**, those waters northwest of a line from Elephant Point at 55° 41.92' N. lat., 160° 03.20' W. long. to Waterfall Point at 55° 43.18' N. lat., 160° 01.13' W. long. for 48 hours from noon Monday, July 8 until noon Wednesday, July 10, 2013. The closed waters of Orzinski Bay will remain at 1,000 yards.

Commercial salmon fishing will be allowed in the Beaver Bay, Balboa Bay, Southwest Stepovak, Stepovak Flats, and East Stepovak sections of the Southern District Mainland for approximately 48 hours from 12:01 a.m. Tuesday, July 9 until 11:59 p.m. Wednesday, July 10. Fishermen are reminded that only set gillnet gear may be used in the Southeastern District Mainland prior to July 11.

All closed waters in the above locations will be as described in the regulation book or as adjusted by emergency order.

Statistical charts and harvest strategies are available at the Sand Point, Cold Bay, and Port Moller Fish and Game offices. Commercial salmon fishing regulations, commercial harvest, escapement, and news releases can be found on the ADF&G website at:

http://www.adfg.alaska.gov/index.cfm?adfg=commercialbyareaakpeninsula.salmon.

Salmon fishery announcements will be broadcast on VHF channels 6 and 73 daily at 9:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. and may also be obtained from ADF&G in Sand Point at 383-2334 (383-ADFG).